

SEPTEMBER Newsletter

GRANTS:

1. Inlaks Shivdasani Foundation research travel grants

The Inlaks Shivdasani Foundation supports innovative research work and has been providing scholarships for more than four decades now. The travel grants assist Indian Ph.D. students for undertaking short-time visits to institutions abroad to collect material, use facilities, and consult experts. This award is only for **Humanities and Social Sciences** related subjects.

Deadline: 5th October 2020

Eligibility: Ph.D. students who have been in the institute for at least two years but not more than four years at the time of the application

Location: Any foreign university

Weblink: <https://www.inlaksfoundation.org/irtg/inlaks-travel-and-research-grant/>

2. Ph.D. scholarship: Combined Dynamic/Biaxial Compression Failure Mode of Geostructures

The University of Queensland has opened a position for a full-time Ph.D. candidate for performing high-quality research in the field of rock testing and fracture mechanics. Dr. Mehdi Serati and Prof. David Williams of the Geotechnical Engineering Centre (GEC) within the school of Civil Engineering will be supervising the candidates. The Ph.D. candidate will be a part of a multidisciplinary team in partnership with the industry partners.

Deadline: 15th October 2020

Eligibility: Students aspiring for a Ph.D in Engineering and Computing.

Location: University of Queensland, Australia

Weblink:

<https://scholarships.uq.edu.au/scholarship/phd-scholarship-combined-dynamicbiaxial-compression-failure-mode-geostructures>

3. MBA Student Scholarship - International

The business school of the University of Queensland is offering a 25% tuition fee waiver for outstanding students who are commencing their MBA studies. The scholarship will entitle the successful applicant to receive a 25% discount on their course tuition fees for a maximum period of 24 months. If the scholarship recipient exceeds the 24-month timeframe they become solely responsible for the full tuition cost of any and all remaining courses after the date specified in the scholarship offer.

Deadline: 31st October 2020

Eligibility: Students aspiring for an MBA

Location: University of Queensland, Australia

Weblink:

https://scholarships.uq.edu.au/scholarship/mba-student-scholarship-international#qt-scholarship_tabs-foundation-tabs-1

4. Mitacs Globalink Research Internship

Mitacs's Globalink Research Internship scheme is a program that funds undergraduates from India to complete an intensive 12-week summer research internship in a variety of academic disciplines. Mitacs Globalink provides them with a unique experience, where one could combine professional experience in a great research group at one of the 70 Canadian Universities with knowledge of a new country, new cultures, and people from different countries.

Eligibility: All pre-final year undergraduate or combined Undergraduate/Masters students of IIT Kharagpur

Deadline: 23rd September 2020, at 1 PM PST (24th September 1:30 AM IST)

Location: Canada

Website: <https://globalink.mitacs.ca/#/student/application/welcome>

5. The Master's Research Scholarship

The Master's Research Scholarship (MaRS) program provides short-term scholarships to support visiting Master's students to work on research projects within the Faculty of Informatics. Participating students visit Università della Svizzera italiana (USI) for up to one semester to work on a research project under the guidance of a USI faculty member with the objective of applying the work towards a Master's thesis at the student's home university.

Deadline: 1st October 2020

Eligibility: All master's students of IITKGP working in the field of Informatics

Location: Switzerland

Weblink: <https://www.inf.usi.ch/en/informatics-research/internships/visiting-students?fbclid=IwARo-IIZHJjTnPKnfsf45ib5Q5hAalQfoN64rmwD3Xsk8oFbfMacXnwpac>

6. Knight-Hennessy Scholars program

The Knight-Hennessy Scholars program aims to develop both the depth and range of subject expertise to confront the intractable challenges and opportunities of the future. The selected scholars will be a part of a unique community of change agents from a diverse range of backgrounds. All this would make the scholars better leaders who would be having a multidisciplinary and multicultural understanding of the problems that the world is facing in the present day i.e. environment, healthcare, education, inequality, and social justice.

Deadline: 14th October 2020, 1:00 pm PST (15th October 2020, 1:30 am IST)

Eligibility: Graduating UG students and PG students

Location: Stanford University, USA

Weblink: <https://knight-hennessy.stanford.edu/program>

7. Facebook Fellowship Program

The Facebook Fellowship is a global program designed to encourage and support promising doctoral students who are engaged in innovative and relevant research in areas related to computer science and engineering at an accredited university. Students from diverse backgrounds and experiences are also encouraged to apply, especially those from traditionally underrepresented minority groups. Applications are evaluated based on the strength of the student's research statement, publication record, and recommendation letters. Winners of the Fellowship are entitled to receive two years of paid tuition and fees, a \$42,000 annual stipend to cover living and conference travel costs, a paid visit to Facebook headquarters for the annual Fellowship Summit, and various opportunities to engage with Facebook researchers.

Deadline: 1st October 2020, 12:00 noon PST (2nd October 2020, 12:30 am IST)

Eligibility: Ph.D. students of Computer Science and Engineering

Weblink: https://research.fb.com/fellowship/#Research_Areas